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Public Law 88-529

H. R. 9747

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INDEX AND SUMMARY OF H. R. 9747

Jan. 27, 1964 Rep. Johnson of Wisc. introduced H. R. 9747, which was referred to House Agriculture Committee. Print of bill as introduced.

Apr. 23, 1964 House committee voted to report (but did not actually report) H. R. 9747.

May 4, 1964 House committee reported H. R. 9747 with amendments. H. Report 1373. Print of bill and report.

May 18, 1964 House passed H. R. 9747 as reported.

May 19, 1964 H. R. 9747 was referred to Senate Agriculture and Forestry Committee. Print of bill as referred.

Aug. 17, 1964 Senate committee reported H. R. 9747 without amendment. S. Report 1454. Print of bill and report.

Aug. 18, 1964 Senate passed H. R. 9747 without amendment.

Aug. 31, 1964 Approved: Public Law 88-529.

DIGEST OF PUBLIC LAW 88-529

ARMED FORCES MILK PROGRAM EXTENSION.

Extends for three years, through December 31, 1967, the Armed Forces milk program under which CCC makes dairy products acquired through price support operations available to veterans' hospitals, the Army, Navy, Air Force, and Coast Guard, and the Merchant Marine Academy, after they have purchased their usual quantities in the normal channels of trade.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

JANUARY 27, 1964

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A BILL

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By Mr. Johnson of Wisconsin

JANUARY 27, 1964

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OF INTEREST TO THE DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE

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SENATE

1. **CIVIL RIGHTS.** Continued debate on H. R. 7152, the civil rights bill. pp. 8612-30, 8639-48, 8655-56, 8660-75
2. **PESTICIDES.** Sen. Pearson reviewed the current controversy over possible harmful effects in the use of pesticides, stated that so far there is only circumstantial evidence on the harmful effects of pesticides and that to prohibit their use in agriculture would be disastrous to the agricultural economy, and inserted an article in support of his position, "Pesticides Vital to Food Quality." p. 8612
3. **KANSAS AGRICULTURE.** Sen. Pearson inserted an address by Dr. Glenn H. Beck, dean of agriculture at Kansas State Univ., itemizing some of the major assets of Kansas for industrial growth, including agricultural raw materials and farm workers, and stating that the State has "the land, the agricultural production,

the climate, the geographic location that all seem to favor economic development in agri-businesses and agri-industries." pp. 8610-1

4. ALASKA. Received from the President a proposed bill "to amend the Alaska Omnibus Act"; to Interior and Insular Affairs Committee. p. 8594
5. WILDLIFE. Disagreed to the amendments of the House on S. 793, to promote the conservation of the Nation's wildlife resources on the Pacific flyway in Ore. and Calif. and to aid in the administration of the Klamath reclamation project, and appointed conferees. p. 8613
6. SOIL CONSERVATION. Received a S. C. Legislature resolution urging retention of the unit office of the Soil Conservation Service in Spartanburg, S. C. p. 8594
7. SUGAR. Sen. Burdick introduced an amendment to S. 2657, to increase the amount of domestic beet sugar and mainland cane sugar which may be marketed during 1964, 1965 and 1966, so as to extend these increased quotas through 1969; to Finance Committee. p. 8597
Sen. Tower, Tex., was added as a cosponsor to S. 2657. p. 8597
8. WATER RESOURCE. Sen. Dominick called the draining of water from Lake Powell to increase the amount of water in Lake Mead "a violation of the River Compact ...and wholly unnecessary," and inserted an article, "'Fast Draw' on Water: Why?" p. 8601
9. 4-H CLUBS. Sen. Mansfield inserted articles depicting highlights of 4-H Club work presented to him by two visiting 4-H Club members from Montana. pp. 8607-8
10. FOREIGN AID. Sen. Humphrey inserted a New York Times article which included an acclaim of the President's determination in the handling of his foreign aid program. p. 8638

HOUSE

11. PESTICIDES. The Merchant Marine and Fisheries Committee reported with amendment H. R. 4487, to prevent or minimize injury to fish and wildlife from the use of insecticides, herbicides, fungicides, and pesticides (H. Rept. 1339). p. 8592
12. THE AGRICULTURE COMMITTEE voted to report (but did not actually report) with amendment H. R. 9938, to increase the maximum size of reservoirs under the Watershed Protection and Flood Prevention Act; H. R. 9747, to permanently extend the dairy donation for the armed forces and veterans hospitals; and H. R. 1042, to provide for the sale of the Animal Quarantine Station, Clifton, N. J.; and without amendment H. R. 10419, to provide that part of the patronage refunds paid by a bank for farm cooperatives shall be in money instead of class C stock after the bank becomes subject to Federal income tax; H. R. 7588, to provide for enforcement of rules and regulations for the protection, development, and administration of the national forests and national grasslands; and H. R. 6601, to authorize the Secretary of Agriculture to sell certain land in Grand Junction, Colo. The Committee also "postponed until a later date consideration" of S. 623, to provide for a program of agricultural land development in Alaska; and approved the following watershed projects: Bachelor Run, Ind.; Bear Creek, Mo.; Blockton, Iowa; Cane Creek, Ga. (amended); Crane Creek, Minn.; Dry Creek, Ga.; Hondo Creek, Tex.; and Valley Creek, Ky. p. D310

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HIGHLIGHTS: Sen. Mundt urged restrictions on beef imports. Senate received N. Mex. resolution urging quotas on meat imports. Sen. Proxmire submitted amendments to reduce items in Interior appropriation bill. Rep. Findley charged that cost-price squeeze on farmers has worsened. House committee reported bills to extend armed services dairy donation programs and to sell Clifton, N. J. animal quarantine station. House committee reported State-Justice-Commerce appropriation bill.

SENATE

1. ALASKA. The Interior and Insular Affairs reported with amendment S. 2772, to amend the Alaska Omnibus ^{Act} so as to continue transitional grants to Alaska for rehabilitation purposes (S. Rept. 1020). p. 9571
2. CIVIL RIGHTS. Continued debate on H. R. 7152, the civil rights bill. pp. 9577-8, 9595-9624, 9633-41
3. APPROPRIATIONS. Sen. Proxmire submitted two amendments to H. R. 10433, the Interior Department and related agencies appropriation bill, 1965, which he stated "would reduce the amounts appropriated by the bill as reported from the Senate Appropriations Committee to the House figure or the budget figure, whichever is lower," and "would eliminate all items not provided for in the President's budget." p. 9577
4. MEAT IMPORTS. Sen. Mundt inserted his statement before the Tariff Commission urging action to further restrict beef imports. pp. 9594-5

Received a N. Mex. Legislature resolution urging enactment of legislation to impose quotas on imports of beef, lamb, and mutton, require labeling of foreign meat products, and require use of domestic meat in all school lunch and food donation programs. p. 9570

5. SOIL CONSERVATION. Sen. Humphrey commended the observance of Soil Stewardship Week and inserted the President's statement commending the observance. pp. 9631-2

6. APPALACHIA. Agreed to a unanimous consent request of Sen. Randolph that S. 2782, the Appalachian regional development bill, remain at the desk until the close of business May 6 for possible additional cosponsors. p. 9578
Sen. Long, Mo., commended the proposed Appalachia program and suggested that the program be extended "to cover comparable areas of the country such as the Ozarks." p. 9641

7. TRANSPORTATION. Sen. Smathers was added as a cosponsor of S. 2796, to strengthen and improve the national transportation system. p. 9578

8. ELECTRIFICATION. Both Houses received from the Federal Power Commission a publication, "Statistics of Electric Utilities in the United States, 1962, Privately Owned." pp. 9570, 9708
Sen. Curtis commended the construction of the Hallam Nuclear Power facility in Nebr. for the generation of electricity. p. 9582
Sen. Metcalf conducting an "anti-Knowles Dam propaganda campaign." pp. 9625-8

9. PERSONNEL. Both Houses received a GAO report "on the inclusion of volunteer workers in determining the allowable number of employees engaged in personnel work tends to defeat intent of appropriation act limitations, Veterans' Administration." pp. 9570-9708

10. FOREIGN TRADE; SUGAR. Sen. Allott inserted an article contending that economic sanctions against Cuba have not been effective, primarily because the increase in sugar prices has helped Cuba maintain its trade relations with other countries. p. 9579

HOUSE

11. THE AGRICULTURE COMMITTEE reported with amendments S. H. R. 1642, to provide for the sale of the Animal Quarantine Station, Clifton, N. J. (H. Rept. 1371); H. R. 6601, to authorize the Secretary of Agriculture to sell certain forest land in Grand Junction, Colo. (H. Rept. 1372); and H. R. 9747, to extend the dairy donation program for the armed forces and veterans hospitals (H. Rept. 1373). p. 9708

12. PARITY RATIO. Rep. Findley stated that the USDA ratio report for April 15 shows that "each year under Secretary Freeman, the cost-price squeeze on farmers has worsened." p. 9663
1965.

13. STATE-JUSTICE-COMMERCE APPROPRIATIONS, / The Appropriations Committee reported this bill, H. R. 11134 (H. Rept. 1374). pp. 9708-9

14. METAL SCRAP. The Ways and Means Committee reported without amendment H. R. 10463, to continue until the close of June 30, 1965, the existing suspension of duties for metal scrap (H. Rept. 1370). p. 9708

EXTENSION OF SPECIAL MILK PROGRAM

MAY 4, 1964.—Committed to the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union and ordered to be printed

Mr. COOLEY, from the Committee on Agriculture, submitted the following:

REPORT

[To accompany H.R. 9747]

The Committee on Agriculture, to whom was referred the bill (H.R. 9747) to permanently extend the special milk programs for the Armed Forces and veterans hospitals having considered the same, report favorably thereon with amendments and recommend that the bill do pass.

The amendments are as follows:

Strike the period at the end of line 5 and add the following: "and inserting in lieu thereof 'December 31, 1967'."

Amend the title to read:

To extend for three years the special milk programs for the Armed Forces and veterans hospitals.

PURPOSE

The purpose of this bill, as amended, is to extend for 3 years, to December 31, 1967, the special milk program for increased consumption by military personnel, veterans hospital patients, and personnel of the Coast Guard and Merchant Marine Academies. Since the enactment of this program in 1954, the program has worked to increase the consumption of milk by personnel in the participating agencies and thereby has helped to hold down CCC purchases of manufactured dairy products.

DEPARTMENTAL POSITION

The Department forwarded to the Speaker of the House of Representatives by executive communication its recommendation that this program be made a permanent part of the Agricultural Act of 1949.

FEBRUARY 28, 1964.

Hon. JOHN W. McCORMACK,
Speaker of the House of Representatives,
Washington, D.C.

DEAR MR. SPEAKER: We recommend that section 202 of the Agricultural Act of 1949, as amended, be made a continuing part of the act by eliminating the December 31, 1964, termination date for section 202. A draft of the bill is enclosed.

Section 202 required Commodity Credit Corporation to donate dairy products (including milk), acquired under price-support programs, for increased consumption by military personnel, veterans hospital patients, and personnel of the Coast Guard and Merchant Marine Academies. Transfers of dairy products under this authority have helped to reduce CCC's inventories of dairy products. Also a supplemental milk program operating under sections 201 and 202 of the act has more than doubled the consumption of milk by personnel of the participating agencies. This has helped to keep down CCC purchases of manufactured dairy products. The donations of dairy products and supplemental milk program are expected to amount to \$40 million of CCC funds in the fiscal year 1964.

It now appears that CCC will continue to carry out extensive dairy price-support operations under the 1949 act. Elimination of the termination date of section 202 will make it possible to continue the veterans and military uses of additional milk and dairy products as long as these uses will aid in accomplishing the objectives of the act, without the necessity of repeated extension of this section by congressional action as has been done every few years since 1954.

In recommending that this authority to dispose of CCC inventories be provided on a continuing basis, we believe that the legislation should make it clear that such disposals do not have a priority over section 416 donations to domestic school lunch programs, charitable institutions, and to needy persons in this country. These outlets provide a most constructive use of CCC inventories of dairy products and, at the same time, help develop future markets through normal trade channels.

Subsection 202(d) now provides that the obligation of Commodity Credit Corporation to make dairy products available under section 202 shall be limited to products not disposed of under provisions of (1) and (2) of section 416. Such provisions authorize the use of CCC inventories by agencies in making payments for commodities not produced in the United States or in the barter or exchange of such commodities for strategic or other material authorized by law. Our proposed revision in subsection (d) would include provision (3) of section 416 which relates to the donation of agricultural food commodities to school lunch programs and needy persons in this country.

The Bureau of the Budget advises that there is no objection to the presentation of this proposed legislation from the standpoint of the administration's program.

Sincerely yours,

ORVILLE L. FREEMAN, *Secretary.*

CHANGES IN EXISTING LAW

In compliance with clause 3 of rule XIII of the Rules of the House of Representatives, changes in existing law made by the bill, as introduced, are shown as follows (existing law proposed to be omitted is enclosed in black brackets, new matter is printed in italic, existing law in which no change is proposed is shown in roman):

AGRICULTURAL ACT OF 1949

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SEC. 202. * * *

(a) The Commodity Credit Corporation until **【December 31, 1964】**, *December 31, 1967*, shall make available to the Administrator of Veterans' Affairs at warehouses where dairy products are stored, such dairy products acquired under price-support programs as the Administrator certifies that he requires in order to provide butter and cheese and other dairy products as a part of the ration in hospitals under his jurisdiction. The Administrator shall report every six months to the Committees on Agriculture of the Senate and House of Representatives and the Secretary of Agriculture the amount of dairy products used under this subsection.

(b) The Commodity Credit Corporation until **【December 31, 1964】** *December 31, 1967*, shall make available to the Secretary of the Army, at warehouses where dairy products are stored, such dairy products acquired under price-support programs as the Secretary of the Army or his duly authorized representative certifies can be utilized in order to provide additional butter and cheese and other dairy products as a part of the ration (1) of the Army, Navy, Air Force, or Coast Guard, (2) in hospitals under the jurisdiction of the Department of Defense, and (3) of cadets and midshipmen at, and other personnel assigned to, the United States Merchant Marine Academy. The Secretary of the Army shall report every six months to the Committees on Agriculture of the Senate and the House of Representatives and the Secretary of Agriculture the amount of dairy products used under this subsection.



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H. R. 9747

[Report No. 1373]

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

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Mr. JOHNSON of Wisconsin introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on Agriculture

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6 *inserting in lieu thereof "December 31, 1967".*

Amend the title so as to read: "To extend for three years the special milk programs for the Armed Forces and veterans hospitals".

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with violations of such rules and regulations need not be tried before a U. S. district court but may be tried by a U. S. commissioner specially designated for that purpose by the appropriate district court. p. 10758

13. MILK. Passed as reported H. R. 9747, to extend for 3 years, to December 31, 1967, the authority for donations of price-supported dairy products (including milk) for increased consumption by military personnel, veterans hospital patients, and personnel of the Coast Guard and Merchant Marine Academies. pp. 10757-8

14. STOCKPILING. Passed without amendment H. R. 10774, to authorize the disposal, without regard to the prescribed six-month waiting period, of cadmium from the national stockpile and the supplemental stockpile. p. 10759

15. INDEPENDENT OFFICES APPROPRIATION BILL, 1965. The Appropriations Committee reported this bill, H. R. 11296 (H. Rept. 1413). p. 10795

16. ALASKA; DISASTER RELIEF. Passed without amendment S. 2772, to authorize \$23,500,000 for additional transitional grants to Alaska and to extend to June 30, 1966, the time in which Federal agencies may provide interim services and facilities to the State. This bill will now be sent to the President. A similar bill, H. R. 11037, which had been passed earlier under suspension of the rules, was tabled. pp. 10760-2

17. COMMITTEE ASSIGNMENTS. Rep. Mahon was elected chairman of the Appropriations Committee. p. 10754

18. FOREIGN AID. Both Houses received the President's message requesting additional funds for military and economic assistance to Vietnam (H. Doc. 307). pp. 10754-5, 10842-3

19. MEAT IMPORTS. Rep. Purcell charged that imported frozen meat which is later thawed, processed, and refrozen is a "health hazard," stated that this Department "now says it is their opinion that once food has completely thawed to a temperature of 36° or higher, it is not likely to be fit for refreezing," and urged action "to correct the present deplorable situation." pp. 10793-4

20. WILDERNESS. Rep. Saylor paid tribute to the late Howard Zahniser, executive director of the Wilderness Society. pp. 10790-1

21. PERSONNEL. Rep. Nelsen criticized "the high-pressure selling of \$100 campaign dinner tickets to civil service employees" by the Democratic National Committee and inserted two items on the subject. p. 10783

ITEMS IN APPENDIX

22. WHEAT; FOREIGN TRADE. Extension of remarks of Rep. Derwinski stating that "today the State Department negotiators, led by Ambassador Harriman, had discussions which will lead to subsidy of the Communist Government of Rumania," and inserting an article, "Report from Rome: Sale of Wheat to Russians Harms U. S. Image Abroad." pp. A2577-8

23. APPALACHIA; AREA REDEVELOPMENT. Rep. Alger inserted an editorial critical of the area redevelopment and proposed Appalachia programs as leading to "national bankruptcy." p. A2567

24. PRICES. Extension of remarks of Rep. Dingell commending the President's opposition to enactment of proposed "quality stabilization" legislation. pp. A2585-7

25. AUTOMATION. Rep. St. George inserted an address by the assistant to the administrative vice president of the U. S. Steel Corp. reviewing the effects of automation, "Automation and Technological Unemployment: Problem or Mirage?" pp. A2549-52

26. MEAT IMPORTS. Rep. Gurney inserted article, "While Customers Enjoy Low Prices Cattlemen Suffer as Meat Imports Climb." pp. A2554-5
Extension of remarks of Rep. Nelsen inserting an item which he claims bears out his prediction that the Senate would act on proposals to restrict beef imports but the proposals would be lost in the House. p. A2561

27. ELECTRIFICATION. Rep. Evins inserted an editorial, "TVA's Expansion Raises Profits in Many Places." p. A2555
Extension of remarks of Rep. Roybal expressing his concern with the water shortage and the supply of electric power in the Colo. River system. pp. A2565-6

28. YOUNG FARMERS. Extension of remarks of Rep. Andrews (N.D.) commending the selection of outstanding young farmers by the U. S. Junior Chamber of Commerce. pp. A2555-6

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29. LIVESTOCK. H. R. 11272, by Rep. Olson, Minn., to assure orderly marketing of an adequate supply of livestock products; to encourage increased domestic consumption of livestock products; to maintain the productive capacity of the livestock industry; to avoid the feeding of livestock to undesirable weights; and to prevent declines in live-weight prices received by livestock producers; to Agriculture Committee.

30. COMMODITY EXCHANGE. H. R. 11278, by Rep. Cooley, to amend the Commodity Exchange Act, as amended; to Agriculture Committee.

31. ONIONS. H. R. 11288, by Rep. White, to amend the Agricultural Marketing Agreement Act of 1937 to permit the issuance of marketing orders for onions for canning or freezing; to Agriculture Committee.

32. LOANS. S. 2852, by Sen. Bible, for the relief of the Moapa Valley Water Co., of Logandale, Nev.; to Judiciary Committee. Remarks of author, p. 10800

33. RESEARCH. S. 2853, by Sen. Humphrey, to provide for research into and development of practical means for the utilization of solar energy; to Aeronautical and Space Sciences Committee. Remarks of author, pp. 10800-2

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COMMITTEE HEARINGS:

May 19: Poverty program, H. Education and Labor (exec). Appalachia program, H. Public Works (Labor, Treasury, SBA, and TVA to testify). Irish potato allotment and quota bill, H. Agriculture(exec).

May 26: Operation of rules and regulations pertaining to pesticides, H. Agriculture (Clarkson, ARS, to testify).

United States, western Colorado and eastern Utah. It is not convenient for the use which was intended. It is surplus to the needs at the present time, except for storage. It should sell for a good price. It is my hope that the Department, when they come back and ask for any facilities will keep the facilities within reason and that the moneys received will take care of the complete cost of the transaction.

Mr. FORD. It is my understanding that the land to be sold, which is currently owned by the Government, will be sold at not less than fair market value?

Mr. ASPINALL. The gentleman is correct. Otherwise it would have to be declared excess.

Mr. FORD. Mr. Speaker, I withdraw my reservation of objection.

The SPEAKER. Is there objection to the present consideration of the bill?

There being no objection, the Clerk read the bill, as follows:

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the Secretary of Agriculture is authorized to convey by quitclaim deed, for not less than fair market value, all right, title, and interest of the United States in and to lots 23 and 24, block 119, in the city of Grand Junction, Colorado, and the improvements thereon and to apply the proceeds of such sale to the purchase of other land in or near Grand Junction and the construction thereon of similar improvements.

With the following committee amendment:

Strike the period at the end of line 9 and add the following: "after coming into agreement with the Committee on Agriculture of the House of Representatives and the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry of the Senate."

The committee amendment was agreed to.

The bill was ordered to be engrossed and read a third time, was read the third time, and passed, and a motion to reconsider was laid on the table.

The SPEAKER. The Chair will state to the gentleman that there is an amendment to the title and for the information of the Members, and without objection, the Chair will ask the Clerk to report the amendment to the title.

The Clerk read as follows:

Amend the title so as to read: "To extend for three years the special milk programs for the Armed Forces and veterans hospitals".

The SPEAKER. The question is on the committee amendment.

The committee amendment was agreed to.

The bill was ordered to be engrossed and read a third time, was read the third time, and passed.

The title was amended so as to read: "To extend for three years the special milk programs for the Armed Forces and veterans hospitals."

A motion to reconsider was laid on the table.

Mr. JOHNSON of Wisconsin. Mr. Speaker, I urge speedy and favorable consideration of H.R. 9747, which is a bill I am sponsoring to extend our very worthwhile veterans' and Armed Forces dairy program.

This measure provides for a 3-year extension of the program, under which surplus butter, cheese, nonfat dry milk and fluid milk are made available to servicemen and hospitalized veterans to supplement their standard rations of dairy products. Since the program was inaugurated in 1954, it has been extended three times by the Congress. However, unless this bill is enacted into law, the program will expire on December 31 of this year.

During 1963, the U.S. Armed Forces and veterans' hospital patients increased their consumption of milk over the standard rations by 581 million pints under this program. Total consumption of fluid milk by personnel in the Army, Navy, Air Force, Marines, Coast Guard, U.S. Merchant Marine Academy and veterans' hospitals was more than three times what it would have been if only standard ration purchases of fluid milk were made.

Mr. Speaker, under agreements made by the Commodity Credit Corporation with the Army Quartermaster Corps and the Veterans' Administration, a part of the increase is paid from CCC funds. Since this increase in milk consumption diverts fluid milk from the manufacture of dairy products, the CCC has to purchase less butter, cheese, and nonfat dry milk under the price-support program.

Last year, the CCC's share of the cost of this program was \$4.08 per hundred pounds of milk, which added up to payments of \$25,500,000 to the cooperating agencies. This figure is approximately the amount the CCC would have paid to purchase, handle, and store butter and nonfat dry milk produced from an amount of milk equal to the increase in consumption of 581 million pints brought about by this program.

Since the beginning of the veterans' and Armed Forces dairy program in November of 1954, milk consumption has increased by 4,693,489,000 pounds—or

about 4,366 million pints. Payments by the CCC total \$193,706,000.

Mr. Speaker, in addition to increasing the consumption of fluid milk, this program has significantly raised the amount of butter, cheese, and nonfat dry milk being consumed by our servicemen and hospitalized veterans. From 1954 through 1963, some 230,294,000 pounds of surplus butter, 18,736,000 pounds of surplus cheese and 700,000 pounds of surplus nonfat dry milk have been removed from CCC stocks for use in the program.

I am sure that everybody agrees it is better to utilize our surplus dairy products to improve the diet of our servicemen and hospitalized veterans rather than to let these nutritious foods lie in Government storage. According to a recent survey, milk leads the list of preferred foods in our soldiers' diets. I feel we should continue to make these nutritious dairy products available in abundance to our servicemen and hospitalized veterans.

Mr. Speaker, on February 28 of this year, Secretary of Agriculture Orville Freeman wrote you to recommend passage of legislation to extend the veterans and Armed Forces dairy program. A copy of that letter was included in the testimony on the proposal when hearings were held on April 9 by the House Dairy Subcommittee, of which I am chairman.

In that letter, Secretary Freeman said:

We recommend that section 202 of the Agricultural Act of 1949, as amended, be made a continuing part of the act by eliminating the December 31, 1964, termination date for section 202.

Section 202 requires Commodity Credit Corporation to donate dairy products (including milk), acquired under price support programs, for increased consumption by military personnel, veterans hospital patients, and personnel of the Coast Guard and Merchant Marine Academy. Transfers of dairy products under this authority have helped to reduce CCC's inventories of dairy products. Also a supplemental milk program operating under sections 201 and 202 of the act has more than doubled the consumption of milk by personnel of the participating agencies. This has helped to keep down CCC purchases of manufactured dairy products. The donations of dairy products and supplemental milk programs are expected to amount to \$40 million of CCC funds in the fiscal year 1964.

It now appears that CCC will continue to carry out extensive dairy price support operations under the 1949 act. Elimination of the termination date of section 202 will make it possible to continue the veterans and military uses of additional milk and dairy products as long as these uses will aid in accomplishing the objectives of the act, without the necessity of repeated extensions of this section by congressional action has been done every few years since 1954.

Mr. Speaker, the members of the Dairy Subcommittee are in complete agreement concerning the benefits of this program and the need for its extension. So are the members of the full House Agriculture Committee, as is witnessed by the fact that both the subcommittee and the full committee unanimously voted to favorably report out the legislation extending the program.

However, it is the feeling of the committee that permanent extension of the

EXTENSION OF SPECIAL MILK PROGRAM

The Clerk called the bill (H.R. 9747) to permanently extend the special milk programs for the Armed Forces and veterans' hospitals.

There being no objection, the Clerk read the bill, as follows:

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Amend the title so as to read: "To extend for three years the special milk programs for the Armed Forces and veterans hospitals".

With the following committee amendment:

Strike the period at the end of line 5 and add the following: "and inserting in lieu thereof 'December 31, 1967'."

Mr. BEERMANN. Mr. Speaker, I do not have a copy of the bill, but I thought that the language "to permanently extend" was stricken and that there was another 3-year program.

program, as advocated by the Secretary of Agriculture, would result in the establishment of still another Federal program which is not subject to congressional review and revision. We live in rapidly changing times. A program which serves a useful purpose in the 1960's may need to be extensively revised in order to meet the needs of the 1970's or the 1980's.

Once a certain program has been established, it tends to perpetuate itself. And if it has been made permanent, a program may continue to operate past the point of usefulness.

Furthermore, if we do not provide for congressional review of these programs by the appropriate committee and subsequently by the House and Senate, we invite an erosion of the duties and responsibilities of the legislative branch of our Government.

Mr. Speaker, for these reasons, the Dairy Subcommittee decided to recommend a 3-year rather than a permanent extension of the veterans and Armed Forces dairy program. The full House Agriculture Committee concurred, and the bill which we are considering today will extend the program from its present expiration date of December 31, 1964, to December 31, 1967. I urge speedy passage of this measure.

PROTECTION OF NATIONAL FORESTS AND NATIONAL GRASSLANDS

The Clerk called the bill (H.R. 7588) to provide for enforcement of rules and regulations for the protection, development, and administration of the national forests and national grasslands, and for other purposes.

The SPEAKER. Is there objection to the present consideration of the bill?

Mr. FORD. Mr. Speaker, reserving the right to object, I would like to ask the author of the bill or a member of the committee several questions. First I would like to know whether or not U.S. Commissioners are paid on a fee basis or on a straight salary basis. I ask that question because if they are paid on a fee basis and this legislation passes they will have the opportunity of a great deal more work, many more cases and the probability that substantially more in fees will be paid and that they as Commissioners would be the beneficiaries. Does anybody know whether Commissioners who would get additional responsibility in these cases are or are not on a fee basis?

Mr. JOHNSON of California. Mr. Speaker, will the gentleman yield?

Mr. FORD. I yield to the gentleman from California.

Mr. JOHNSON of California. To the best of my knowledge there are supposed to be no additional costs in making this change.

I do believe the Commissioners are paid a fee at the present time for their services. However, I may be wrong on that.

Mr. FORD. That was my understanding. And, if we give to the Commiss-

sioners a great deal more work to perform such as this proposed legislation might do, it might open the floodgates to substantial additional revenue for Commissioners because there could be, and probably will be, many more violations brought before them as Commissioners.

Mr. JOHNSON of California. If the gentleman will yield further, I do not think there will be much additional cost here. Further, I doubt whether it would amount to a fee being paid to the Commissioners for a specific case.

I do believe the Commissioners are now on a salary.

The National Park Service uses this type person at the present time, and it does not apply to the National Forests or the national grasslands areas.

Mr. FORD. In my opinion the purpose of the legislation is good. But I do have some questions, based on my best recollection, that U.S. Commissioners are paid on a fee basis. If they are on a fee basis, and with some possibility of the expansion of their work, they would be the beneficiaries of violations and convictions.

Mr. Speaker, until this point is resolved, and resolved categorically one way or the other, we ought to put the bill over for 2 weeks. In the meantime I shall talk to the gentleman from California [Mr. JOHNSON] and we will attempt to ascertain from the Committee on the Judiciary what the facts are.

If the Commissioners are performing these duties on the basis of a fee, I believe there should be some limitation written into this bill so that we do not get into an unwholesome situation.

Mr. GROSS. Mr. Speaker, will the gentleman yield?

Mr. FORD. I yield to the gentleman from Iowa.

Mr. GROSS. I should like, when the bill is called up again, for someone to explain why it is stated on page 2 of the report that the dockets of most U.S. courts are crowded. How can the dockets of the U.S. courts be crowded, in view of the fact that the Congress added something like 100 new Federal judges a year or so ago. Why are the dockets of the courts of the United States so crowded in view of all the judges that have been named, additional judges?

Mr. FORD. I think someone from the Committee on the Judiciary is better qualified to answer that than I.

Mr. GROSS. If the gentleman will yield further, this is one of the reasons given for the necessity of the bill.

Mr. JOHNSON of California. If the gentleman will yield further, that is quite true. I can say for the California Federal courts that they are considerably behind in their calendars.

Mr. FORD. Mr. Speaker, in light of our colloquy, I ask unanimous consent to withdraw my reservation and I now ask unanimous consent that the bill be passed over without prejudice.

The SPEAKER. Is there objection to the request of the gentleman from Michigan?

There was no objection.

INCREASED FEES FOR NAVAL OCEANOGRAPHIC PUBLICATIONS

The Clerk called the bill (H.R. 10319) to amend title 10, United States Code, to authorize increased fees for the sale of U.S. Naval Oceanographic Office publications.

There being no objection, the Clerk read the bill, as follows:

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That (a) section 7394 of title 10, United States Code, is amended to read as follows:

"§ 7394. Price of maps, charts, and navigational publications

"All maps, charts, and other publications offered for sale by the United States Naval Oceanographic Office shall be sold at such prices and under such regulations as may be determined by the Secretary of the Navy. Money received from the sales shall be covered into the Treasury."

(b) The analysis of chapter 639 of title 10, United States Code, is amended by striking out the following item:

"7394. Price of maps, charts, and nautical books."

and inserting the following item in place thereof:

"7394. Price of maps, charts, and navigational publications."

Sec. 2. The proviso under the subtitle "Bureau of Navigation" in the Act of February 14, 1879, ch. 68 (20 Stat 284, 286; 44 U.S.C. 279a), is repealed.

The bill was ordered to be engrossed and read a third time, was read the third time, and passed, and a motion to reconsider was laid on the table.

TRANSPORT DECEASED DEPENDENTS OF THE ARMED FORCES

The Clerk called the bill (H.R. 10320) to amend section 1485 of title 10, United States Code, related to the transportation of remains of deceased dependents of members of the Armed Forces, and for other purposes.

There being no objection, the Clerk read the bill, as follows:

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That title 10, United States Code, is amended as follows:

(1) The catchline and subsection (a) of section 1485 are amended to read as follows:

"§ 1485. Dependents of members of armed forces"

"(a) The Secretary concerned may, if a dependent of a member of an armed force dies while the member is on active duty (other than for training), provide for, and pay the necessary expenses of, transporting the remains of the deceased dependent to the home of the decedent or to any other place that the Secretary determines to be the appropriate place of interment."

(2) The analysis of chapter 75 is amended by striking out the following item:

"1485. Dependents of members of armed forces; death while outside the United States."

and inserting the following item in place thereof:

"1485. Dependents of members of armed forces."

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Attest:

RALPH R. ROBERTS,

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HIGHLIGHTS: Senate committee voted to report Public Law 480 bill. Senate committee reported bill to extend Armed Forces special milk program. Senate committee voted to report Schnittker nomination as member of CCC Board. Senate debated foreign-aid authorization bill. House failed to pass Public Law 480 bill under suspension of the rules. House passed farm labor contractor registration bill. House received conference report on meat-import bill. Rep. Dorn opposed land-water conservation fund bill. House conferees agreed to file report on wilderness bill. Rep. May described consumers interest in beef imports. Rep. Ayres criticized "political implications" of poverty bill.

SENATE

1. **NOMINATION.** The Agriculture and Forestry Committee voted to report (but did not actually report) the nomination of John A. Schnittker as a member of the CCC Board. p. D704
2. **FOREIGN AID.** Continued debate on H. R. 11380, the foreign-aid authorization bill. pp. 19187-97, 19203-212, 19227-33, 19239-40, 19246
3. **VEHICLES.** Passed without amendment H. R. 1341, to require passenger-carrying motor vehicles purchased for use by the Government to meet certain passenger safety standards. This bill will now be sent to the President. pp. 19220-1

4. ADMINISTRATIVE LAW. Concurred in the House amendment to S. 1664, to provide for continuous improvement of the administrative procedure of Federal agencies by creating an Administrative Conference of the U. S. This bill will now be sent to the President. p. 19221

5. LABOR AND HEALTH, EDUCATION, AND WELFARE APPROPRIATION BILL, 1965. The Appropriations Committee reported with amendments this bill, H. R. 10809 (S. Rept. 1460). p. 19170

6. RECREATION. The Interior and Insular Affairs Committee reported without amendment H. R. 8135, to provide for establishment and administration of public recreational facilities at the Sanford Reservoir area, Canadian River project, Tex. (S. Rept. 1461). p. 19169

7. MINERAL LEASES. The Interior and Insular Affairs Committee reported without amendment S. 2500, to promote the development of phosphate on public lands (S. Rept. 1459). p. 19170

8. THE AGRICULTURE AND FORESTRY COMMITTEE reported without amendment the following bills: H. R. 7588, to provide for enforcement of rules and regulations for the protection, development, and administration of the national forests and national grasslands (S. Rept. 1447); H. R. 10069, to authorize the exchange of lands adjacent to the Lassen National Forest, Calif. (S. Rept. 1448); S. 2634, to permit purchase of processed food grain products in addition to purchase of flour and cornmeal and donating the same for certain domestic and foreign purposes (S. Rept. 1446); H. R. 9747, to extend the special milk programs for the Armed Forces and veterans hospitals (S. Rept. 1454); H. R. 10419, to amend further the Farm Credit Act of 1933 to provide that part of the patronage refunds paid by a bank for cooperatives shall be in money instead of class C stock after the bank becomes subject to Federal income tax (S. Rept. 1453); and H. R. 4242, to provide for the release and transfer of all right, title, and interest of the U. S. in and to certain tracts of land in Pender County, N. C. (S. Rept. 1452). p. 19170

The following bills were reported with amendment: H. R. 6601, to authorize the Secretary of Agriculture to sell certain land in Grand Junction, Colo. (S. Rept. 1449); S. 1253, to amend section 8(b) of the Soil Conservation and Domestic Allotment Act regarding election and terms of ASC committeemen (S. Rept. 1451); H. R. 1642, to provide for the sale of the U. S. Animal Quarantine Station, Clifton, N. J. to the city of Clifton and to provide for establishment of a new station (S. Rept. 1450). p. 19170

The Committee ordered reported (but did not actually report) S. 2687, to extend for 2 years Public Law 480, and approved 17 watershed projects. p. D704

9. THE INTERIOR AND INSULAR AFFAIRS COMMITTEE voted to report (but did not actually report) the following bills: S. 2327, increasing the limit on acreage of coal leases that may be held by any person, association, or corporation in a State (amended); S. 883, to amend the Mineral Leasing Act to authorize geothermal steam leases (amended); S. J. Res. 6, to cancel unpaid reimbursable construction costs of the Wind River irrigation project, Wyo., chargeable against certain non-Indian lands; S. 3053, to increase authorizations for construction of the Riverton Federal reclamation project; S. 770, providing for construction and operation of the Savery-Pot Hook Federal reclamation project, Colo. and Wyo. (amended); H. R. 130, providing for payment of compensation, including severance damages, for rights-of-way acquired by the U. S. in connection with reclamation projects begun after January 1, 1961. p. D705

The "Daily Digest" states that the Committee also reconsidered its action of July 31, when it voted to report H. R. 5498, authorizing sale of public lands not needed for Federal program requirements, agreed to amend the bill, and again voted to report (but did not actually report) the bill. p. D705

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REPORT
No. 1454

ARMED FORCES MILK PROGRAM EXTENSION

AUGUST 17, 1964.—Ordered to be printed

Mr. HOLLAND, from the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry, submitted the following

R E P O R T

[To accompany H.R. 9747]

The Committee on Agriculture and Forestry, to whom was referred the bill (H.R. 9747) to extend for 3 years the special milk programs for the Armed Forces and veterans' hospitals, having considered the same, report thereon with a recommendation that it do pass without amendment.

This bill extends the Armed Forces milk program for 3 years, through December 31, 1967. Under this program the Commodity Credit Corporation makes dairy products acquired through price support operations available to veterans' hospitals, the Army, Navy, Air Force, and Coast Guard, and the Merchant Marine Academy after they have purchased their usual quantities in the normal channels of trade.

DEPARTMENTAL VIEWS

The letter of the Department of Agriculture to the Speaker of the House of Representatives requesting legislation to make the program permanent is attached.

FEBRUARY 28, 1964.

Hon. JOHN W. McCORMACK,
Speaker of the House of Representatives,
Washington, D.C.

DEAR MR. SPEAKER: We recommend that section 202 of the Agricultural Act of 1949, as amended, be made a continuing part of the act by eliminating the December 31, 1964, termination date for section 202. A draft of the bill is enclosed.

Section 202 required Commodity Credit Corporation to donate dairy products (including milk), acquired under price-support programs, for increased consumption by military personnel, veterans hospital patients, and personnel of the Coast Guard and Merchant

Marine Academies. Transfers of dairy products under this authority have helped to reduce CCC's inventories of dairy products. Also a supplemental milk program operating under sections 201 and 202 of the act has more than doubled the consumption of milk by personnel of the participating agencies. This has helped to keep down CCC purchases of manufactured dairy products. The donations of dairy products and supplemental milk program are expected to amount to \$40 million of CCC funds in the fiscal year 1964.

It now appears that CCC will continue to carry out extensive dairy price-support operations under the 1949 act. Elimination of the termination date of section 202 will make it possible to continue the veterans and military uses of additional milk and dairy products as long as these uses will aid in accomplishing the objectives of the act, without the necessity of repeated extension of this section by congressional action as has been done every few years since 1954.

In recommending that this authority to dispose of CCC inventories be provided on a continuing basis, we believe that the legislation should make it clear that such disposals do not have a priority over section 416 donations to domestic school lunch programs, charitable institutions, and to needy persons in this country. These outlets provide a most constructive use of CCC inventories of dairy products and, at the same time, help develop future markets through normal trade channels.

Subsection 202(d) now provides that the obligation of Commodity Credit Corporation to make dairy products available under section 202 shall be limited to products not disposed of under provisions of (1) and (2) of section 416. Such provisions authorize the use of CCC inventories by agencies in making payments for commodities not produced in the United States or in the barter or exchange of such commodities for strategic or other material authorized by law. Our proposed revision in subsection (d) would include provision (3) of section 416 which relates to the donation of agricultural food commodities to school lunch programs and needy persons in this country.

The Bureau of the Budget advises that there is no objection to the presentation of this proposed legislation from the standpoint of the administration's program.

Sincerely yours,

ORVILLE L. FREEMAN, *Secretary.*

CHANGES IN EXISTING LAW

In compliance with subsection (4) of rule XXIX of the Standing Rules of the Senate, changes in existing law made by the bill, as reported, are shown as follows (existing law proposed to be omitted is enclosed in black brackets, new matter is printed in italic, existing law in which no change is proposed is shown in roman):

AGRICULTURAL ACT OF 1949

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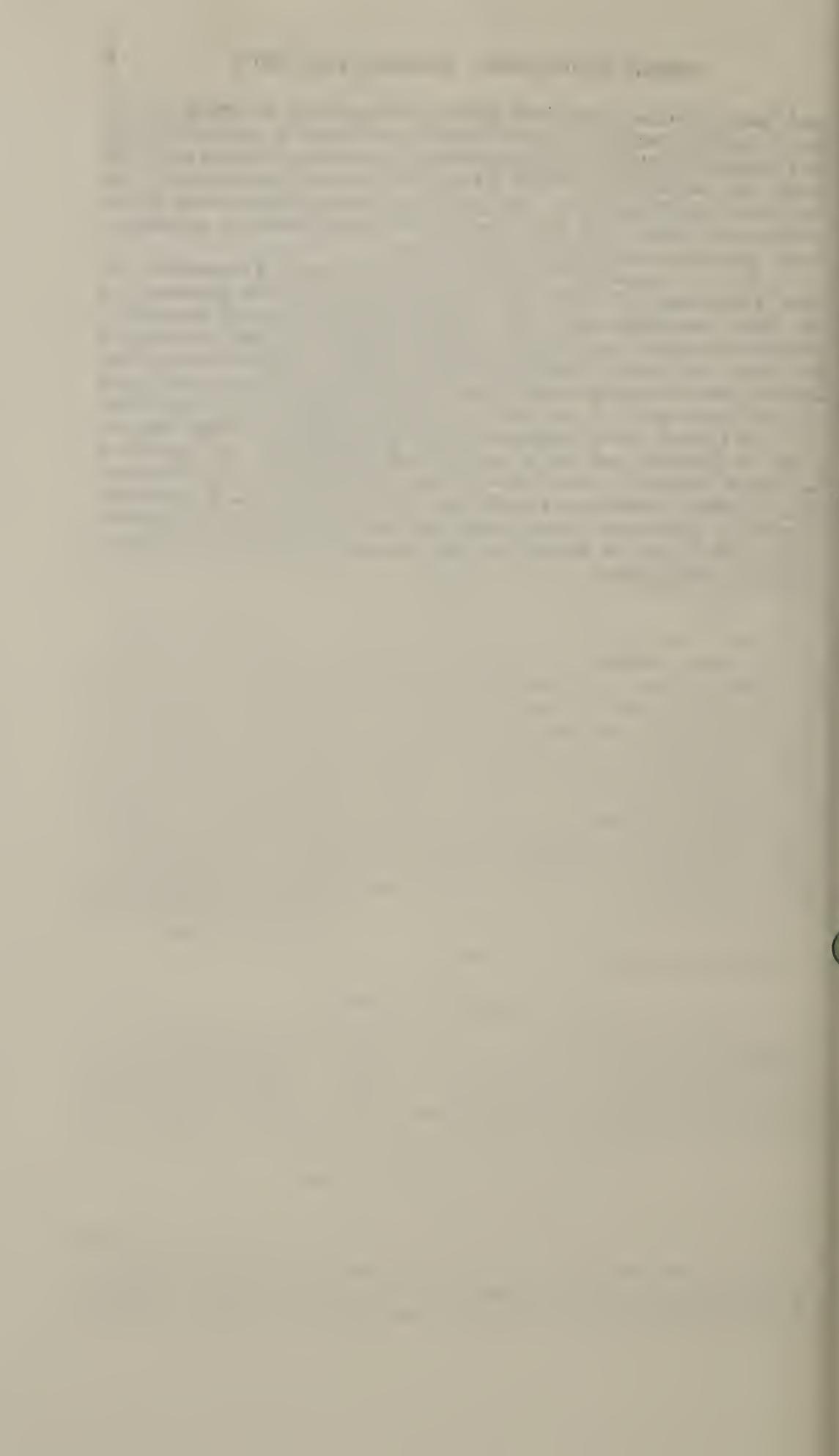
SEC. 202. * * *

(a) The Commodity Credit Corporation until [December 31, 1964,] December 31, 1967, shall make available to the Administrator of Veterans' Affairs at warehouses where dairy products are stored,

such dairy products acquired under price-support programs as the Administrator certifies that he requires in order to provide butter and cheese and other dairy products as a part of the ration in hospitals under his jurisdiction. The Administrator shall report every six months to the Committees on Agriculture of the Senate and House of Representatives and the Secretary of Agriculture the amount of dairy products used under this subsection.

(b) The Commodity Credit Corporation until [December 31, 1964,] *December 31, 1967*, shall make available to the Secretary of the Army, at warehouses where dairy products are stored, such dairy products acquired under price-support programs as the Secretary of the Army or his duly authorized representative certifies can be utilized in order to provide additional butter and cheese and other dairy products as a part of the ration (1) of the Army, Navy, Air Force or Coast Guard, (2) in hospitals under the jurisdiction of the Department of Defense, and (3) of cadets and midshipmen at, and other personnel assigned to, the United States Merchant Marine Academy. The Secretary of the Army shall report every six months to the Committees on Agriculture of the Senate and the House of Representatives and the Secretary of Agriculture the amount of dairy products used under this subsection.





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[Report No. 1454]

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Clerk.

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HIGHLIGHTS: Both Houses passed resolution for continuing appropriations. Both Houses agreed to conference report on meat-import bill. House received conference report on housing bill. Sen. Humphrey discussed farm program. Sen. Hruska criticized grazing land subsidy provision in Appalachia bill. Senate committee reported bill to extend Public Law 480. Senate passed bill to extend Armed Forces special milk program.

SENATE

1. FOREIGN AID. Continued debate on H. R. 11380, the foreign-aid authorization bill. pp. 19361-75, 19381-3, 19386-9
2. FARM PROGRAM. Sen. Humphrey called for a reexamination of "our entire governmental control mechanism to see whether it is helping us to develop a rational agricultural policy," and urged the formation of a "bipartisan blue ribbon commission" to examine past agricultural policies and to develop policies for the future. pp. 19424-7

3. APPALACHIA. Sen. Hruska criticized the section of the Appalachia bill which would permit subsidy payments for the development or improvement of pasture to increase the production of beef cattle in Appalachia, and submitted an amendment intended to be proposed by him eliminating this section. p. 19435

4. HEALTH, EDUCATION, AND WELFARE APPROPRIATION BILL, 1965. Sen. Lausche submitted an amendment, intended to be proposed by him, to eliminate the \$1.5 million item for preliminary work on an Environmental Health Center in D. C. p. 19383

5. COFFEE. Insisted upon its amendments to H. R. 8864, implementing the International Coffee Agreement of 1962, and agreed to a further conference. Conferencees were appointed. p. 19414

6. PUBLIC LAW 480. The Agriculture and Forestry Committee reported with amendment S. 2687, to extend Public Law 480 (S. Rept. 1467). p. 19352

7. MILK. Passed without amendment H. R. 9747, to extend for 3 years the special milk programs for the Armed Forces and veterans hospitals. This bill will now be sent to the President. p. 19419

8. FORESTS. Passed without amendment H. R. 7588, to provide for enforcement of rules and regulations for the protection, development, and administration of the national forests and national grasslands. This bill will now be sent to the President. p. 19408

9. LANDS. Passed without amendment H. R. 10069, to authorize the exchange of lands adjacent to the Lassen National Forest, Calif. This bill will now be sent to the President. pp. 19408-9

Passed as reported H. R. 6601, to authorize the Secretary of Agriculture to sell certain land in Grand Junction, Colo. p. 19409

Passed without amendment S. 2500, to amend section 27 of the Mineral Leasing Act to promote the development of phosphate on public domain. p. 19418

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10. RESEARCH; QUARANTINE. Passed as reported H. R. 1642, to provide for the sale of the U. S. Animal Quarantine Station, Clifton, N. J., to the city of Clifton to provide for the establishment of a new station. p. 19409

11. COOPERATIVES. Passed without amendment H. R. 10419, to amend further the Farm Credit Act of 1933 to provide that part of the patronage refunds paid by a bank for cooperatives shall be in money instead of class C stock after the bank becomes subject to Federal income tax. This bill will now be sent to the President. p. 19416

12. FISHERIES. The Commerce Committee reported with amendments S. J. Res. 174, to authorize and direct the Bureau of Commercial Fisheries to conduct a survey of the marine and fresh-water commercial fishery resources of the U. S., its territories, and possessions (S. Rept. 1469). p. 19353

13. WEATHER BUREAU. The Commerce Committee reported without amendment S. 2315, to authorize the Weather Bureau to make appropriate reimbursement between the respective appropriations available to the Bureau (S. Rept. 1470). p. 19352

tial deposits of a mineral are requisite to warrant the large investments now necessary to develop deposits.

ORDER FOR ADJOURNMENT TO 10 A.M. TOMORROW

Mr. MANSFIELD. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that when the Senate completes its business tonight, it stand in adjournment until 10 o'clock tomorrow morning.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. Without objection, it is so ordered.

AUTHORIZATION FOR COMMITTEE ON AGRICULTURE AND FORESTRY TO FILE REPORTS, TOGETHER WITH MINORITY VIEWS

Mr. MANSFIELD. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry have until midnight tonight to file reports, together with minority views.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. Without objection, it is so ordered.

COMMITTEE MEETINGS DURING SENATE SESSION TOMORROW MORNING

Mr. MANSFIELD. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that all committees may have the right to sit during the session of the Senate tomorrow until 12 o'clock noon.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. Without objection, it is so ordered.

THREE-YEAR EXTENSION OF SPECIAL MILK PROGRAMS FOR THE ARMED FORCES AND VETERANS HOSPITALS

Mr. MANSFIELD. Mr. President, once again I ask unanimous consent to return to Calendar No. 1389, H.R. 7947.

There being no objection, the bill (H.R. 9747) to extend for 3 years the special milk programs for the Armed Forces and veterans hospitals, was considered, ordered to a third reading, read the third time, and passed.

Mr. MANSFIELD. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent to have printed in the RECORD an excerpt from the report (No. 1454), explaining the purposes of the bill.

There being no objection, the excerpt was ordered to be printed in the RECORD, as follows:

The Committee on Agriculture and Forestry, to whom was referred the bill (H.R. 9747) to extend for 3 years the special milk programs for the Armed Forces and veterans' hospitals, having considered the same, report thereon with a recommendation that it do pass without amendment.

This bill extends the Armed Forces milk program for 3 years, through December 31, 1967. Under this program the Commodity Credit Corporation makes dairy products acquired through price support operations available to veterans' hospitals, the Army, Navy, Air Force, and Coast Guard, and the Merchant Marine Academy after they have purchased their usual quantities in the normal channels of trade.

SATISFACTION OF CLAIMS ARISING OUT OF SCRIPT, LIEU SELECTION, AND SIMILAR RIGHTS

Mr. MANSFIELD. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent to return to the consideration of Calendar No. 1390, H.R. 4149.

There being no objection, the bill (H.R. 4149) to provide for the satisfaction of claims arising out of script, lieu selection, and similar rights, was considered, ordered to a third reading, read the third time, and passed.

Mr. MANSFIELD. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent to have printed in the RECORD an excerpt from the report (No. 1455), explaining the purposes of the bill.

There being no objection, the excerpt was ordered to be printed in the RECORD, as follows:

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The United States historically issued scrip or similar certificates redeemable in land in payment of various services rendered to the United States or for rights relinquished to the United States. Persons who relinquished lands or interests in land to the United States were granted rights to select other lands in lieu thereof, giving rise to the term "lieu selection rights."

The last such scrip or lieu selection rights were issued by the United States in 1907. Because virtually none of the scrip rights carried an expiration date, they remain as an indefinite charge against the public lands of the United States to which they are applicable. Some, when issued, were made applicable to any public lands subject to "private entry"; others were limited to agricultural lands.

The act of August 5, 1955 (69 Stat. 534), required that all holders of scrip and similar rights, including military bounty land warrants, record their claims within 2 years thereafter or not later than August 5, 1957, and provided that claims not presented for recordation should not thereafter be accepted by the Secretary of the Interior "as a bonus for the acquisition of lands." A procedure for notification to claimants was set up in that act. In recommending that legislation, the Department of the Interior stated:

"Once the amounts of the various scrips and rights which remained to be satisfied are definitely determined, the Department will be able to formulate a procedure for satisfying them."

The act of July 27, 1962 (76 Stat. 246), repealed obsolete laws relating to military bounty land warrants and provided for the cancellation of those warrants that had not been recorded under the 1955 act.

The committee was advised in February 1963 that there were 462 pieces of scrip, other than military land bounty warrants, recorded under the 1955 act, representing 16,522 acres of land. In March 1964 the committee was advised that the amount of valid scrip still outstanding is less than 12,000 acres.

The holders of the recorded scrip and similar rights are entitled to the land that the United States pledged to their predecessors in interest. At the same time, however, increasing competing demands for land have made it more and more difficult for scrip holders and the Department of the Interior to agree upon land that can be exchanged for the scrip and similar rights. While the recorded scrip remains in existence it represents a continuing threat to proper management and disposal programs that may be authorized for the public lands.

Enactment of H.R. 4149 will provide pro-

cedures to assure that scripholders will have a reasonable selection of public lands from which to choose in satisfying the rights they hold. The bill also provides that if these rights are not exercised by January 1, 1970, or, in the case of soldiers additional homestead claims, by January 1, 1975, a cash settlement will be effected. In any event, all scrip will be retired under this legislation not later than January 1, 1975.

COST

The committee is of the opinion that, given the opportunity of a reasonable selection of public lands, holders of scrip and similar rights will seek to redeem those rights for land and will not be interested in a cash settlement. However, to the extent that land is not obtained in exchange for scrip, funds, which we believe will not exceed \$1 million, will be required in order to satisfy claims that may remain in existence on January 1, 1970, or, in the case of soldiers additional homestead claims, January 1, 1975.

CIVILIAN PATROL INTERNATIONAL AIR CADET EXCHANGE

Mr. HUMPHREY. Mr. President, each year it is my great privilege to discuss for the RECORD the activities of the international air cadet exchange, sponsored by the Civil Air Patrol. This year's program, as those in the past, must be judged an outstanding success.

Twenty-two nations participated in the exchange program this year. A gala banquet honoring the exchange cadets was held on Monday, August 10, 1964, in the Presidential Room of the Statler Hilton Hotel. The distinguished Senator from Nevada [Mr. BIBLE] and the Honorable Victor L. Anfuso, justice of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, delivered the principal addresses.

For 17 years, the Civil Air Patrol has arranged for CAP cadets to visit other countries in an exchange program which has brought their counterparts to the United States.

These young men are chosen for their outstanding qualities of leadership, character, and citizenship, and for their academic achievements.

The CAP exchange is effective for many reasons. First, it begins with young men who already have a basic, common area of understanding and interest—aviation. Second, the CAP does not just visit the District of Columbia and New York; they go into all parts of our Nation to visit our great cities and the people in them. Third, the CAP exchange, although conducted with the full cooperation of the U.S. Air Force, is essentially a voluntary and private program strengthened by the support of many individual citizens, organizations, and business firms.

For many years, I have been an active supporter of the CAP international air cadet exchange program. I have worked closely with Col. Earnee Breeskin, who is in charge of arrangements in Washington for the program. Several times I have been privileged to address the cadets in the annual farewell dinner in Washington.

Some of the distinguished guests at this year's banquet include:

Michael Manatos, special assistant to the President; John McNally, White

House; Commissioner John B. Duncan; Assistant Postmaster General Ralph Nicholson; Congressman William L. St. Onge, of Connecticut; Maj. Gen. E. B. LeBailly, USAF, Director of Information, Department of the Air Force; Congressman Melvin Price, of Illinois; Col. Roy St. Lewis, CAP Board of Directors; Lt. Col. Shale L. Tulin, commander, USAF Band; Congressman James Morrison, of Louisiana; Col. Joe L. Mason, national commander, CAP; Col. Russell Ireland, Deputy Chief of Staff for Personnel; Col. Paul Turner, chairman of the board, CAP; Col. Stanhope Lineberry, commander, Middle East region, CAP; Col. Paul A. Fonda, Northrop International, board of directors, CAP; Dr. Robert Ladner, counselor, Austrian Embassy; Deputy Under Secretary for Transportation, Department of Commerce, Lowell K. Bridwell; Henry G. Catucci, vice president, Washington, D.C., Western Union International, Inc.; John A. Lang, Jr., administrative assistant, Office of the Secretary, Department of the Air Force; Benjamin W. Fridge, Special Assistant for Manpower, Personnel, and Reserve Forces, Department of the Air Force, Office of the Secretary; Patrick P. O'Carroll, Director, Federal Bureau of Narcotics Training School, Treasury Department; Lt. Col. William H. Schulie, chairman, IACE, New York program; Col. Daniel E. Evans, commander, National Capital wing, CAP; Col. Edward M. Kirby, director of public relations, USO, New York; Col. Milton Kronheim; Col. Donald Peck, USAF; Lt. Col. Fred Schleger; Lt. Col. Foley D. Collins, Jr.; Arthur W. Hummel, Jr., Deputy Assistant Secretary of State for the Bureau of Educational and Cultural Affairs; Congressman John L. McMillan, of South Carolina; Lawrence Wyatt, Director of International Program Relations, HEW; Edward Sylvester, Deputy Administrator of the Bureau of International Labor Affairs, Department of Labor; Glenn B. Eastburn, vice president, New York Airways; Edward F. McGinnis, vice president, Seagram & Sons, Inc., New York; Herbert C. Blunck, vice president, and general manager, Statler Hilton; Charles A. Cogliandro, president of the Calabrian Co., New York; Arthur J. Bergman, manager, National Guard Armory; W. Chester Martin, President of the Washington, D.C., Board of Trade; and Col. Barnee Breeskin, Washington, D.C.

Senator BIBLE delivered a most outstanding address on the vital services which the Civil Air Patrol performs in the United States and the great value of the international exchange program in fostering good will and understanding among the participating nations. His remarks deserve the careful attention of the Senate and all persons interested in the future of aviation.

Justice Victor L. Anfuso also delivered a stirring address on the importance of youth in our democratic system of government. The Honorable John B. Duncan, Commissioner, District of Columbia, Michael Manatos, special assistant to President Lyndon B. Johnson, and Mr. Laurence Wyatt, Acting Deputy Assistant Secretary for International Affairs, Department of Health, Education, and

Welfare, also made interesting and timely remarks.

The distinguished Member of the House of Representatives from South Carolina [Mr. McMillan], gave some idea of the value of the international air cadet exchange in a letter to Barnee Breeskin. The State of South Carolina entertained the air cadets from Peru and exposed them to the traditional southern hospitality and friendship.

I ask unanimous consent that these speeches and the letter from Representative McMillan be printed at this point in the RECORD.

There being no objection, the speeches and letter were ordered to be printed in the RECORD, as follows:

REMARKS OF SENATOR ALAN BIBLE

This occasion, I understand, is billed as a farewell dinner. It formally marks a close to activities at the U.S. end of the 17th annual international air cadet exchange. Tomorrow you cadets and officers from other lands will be heading out to Andrews Air Force Base for your trips home. Yet, for my own part, I feel this is more a time to say welcome than a time to say farewell.

I am sure you have been made welcome during your visit in our country. You have seen our Capital and some of our major attractions. You have seen many of our States. You have visited many places, done many things and—most important—met many of our people. I am sure they have all said welcome in one form or another. Still, I feel I would be derelict if I did not do my own part in this address tonight to make you feel welcome and to know that we have valued your friendship and enjoyed your visit.

Speaking of welcomes, I believe it is in order for me to extend a special greeting to the Austrian cadets and officers seated here at the head table. This is Austria's first participation in the international exchange but I trust not the last. I hope you have benefited from the visit as much as I know our country has. The Civil Air Patrol cadets from the United States who went to Austria will, I know, be enriched for their experience. Speaking personally, I hope the United States has retained a bit of Austria and Austria a bit of the United States from this exchange of visits.

This goes for all the visitors, too, of course. If you have found the exchange of visits as interesting and exciting as have your predecessors—if you have gained a better understanding of other nations—then we can ask no more.

Doubtless there will be even more nations participating in this program next year if the speed with which this program has grown is any indication. That is as it should be, and I would like to use this forum as a means to extend thanks to those private individuals, groups and business firms who have done so much, in cooperation with the U.S. Air Force, in making this program work and grow.

I know, for an example, that we have Pan American Airways to thank for this fine banquet.

Still another welcome: This one to Col. Joe Mason, of Ellington, Tex., the new national commander of the Civil Air Patrol. This is an excellent occasion for me to extend my best wishes to Colonel Mason. I know he will carry on the great tradition of the Civil Air Patrol in the United States.

It is most fitting, perhaps, that a Senator from Nevada is given the privilege of delivering this address to the closing banquet of the international air cadet exchange. My State did not take part in the program this year as it has in past years, so I am something of a substitute. I suppose Nevada

has to give other States a chance, but I can assure you my State will be looking forward to renewing its participation in future years.

As much as any State—if not more—Nevada is interested in aviation and in the Civil Air Patrol. I know personally that the Civil Air Patrol fills a vital need in my State. Nevada is wide and vast. It has many mountains and, although it is growing, it has few people. There are vast stretches of remote and largely unsettled terrain. You must see Nevada to understand this and to understand why it has been possible for aircraft to become lost and remain lost for years in Nevada's wilderness.

Thanks to the Civil Air Patrol, aircraft do not remain lost so long any more. The volunteer flyers of the Civil Air Patrol, with no compensation except for the gas and oil they use in their own aircraft, have flown countless search and rescue missions in Nevada. There are many who owe their lives to the CAP.

An example of this was the rescue reported in the Air Force Blue Book in 1961. A private plane carrying five persons including a 6-year-old girl crash landed high in the eastern Nevada mountains in sub-freezing weather. This occurred in one of the remote Nevada mountain regions I mentioned—somewhere among the many desolate ranges. There was little to go on, and there was heavy snow and 40-mile-an-hour winds to contend with, but a member of the East Ely cadet squadron in White Pine County discovered the missing aircraft on one of his sorties. He returned and, despite the bad weather and the high altitude, made five drops of food, sleeping bags, and medical supplies.

Another senior CAP cadet from Ely led the ground party which snowshoed into the area and rescued the five victims. All five were hurt—one had a broken back—but all recovered.

This is just an example. There have been other dramatic rescues. Some have not turned out so well, but it has not been the fault of the Civil Air Patrol.

This is why I have always been an enthusiastic supporter of the Civil Air Patrol. This is why I consider it an honor and a privilege to take part in this banquet tonight.

My respect for the Civil Air Patrol only increases my respect and admiration for this cadet exchange program which has brought us all together tonight. A friend of mine whom most of you have probably met at one point or another during your visit has played an important role in the exchange program over the years. I am speaking of Col. Barnee Breeskin, who heads up the Civil Air Patrol's Washington office and who pretty much runs the show for the exchange program here. Ten years ago, when the program was still in its infancy, Colonel Breeskin was a senior escort with a group of CAP cadets visiting Italy. To say he was enthusiastic about the program is an understatement. Let me read a brief portion of an article he wrote about the trip and the program. I am quoting directly:

"It is wonderful to see the changes wrought in these boys in just 3 weeks. Their understanding of the problems that face other nations increased along with their understanding and acceptance of the manifold customs, traditions, and national points of view represented by each of the countries participating."

"My adventure with the exchange was one of the greatest experiences of my life. It showed me again that kids are kids all over the world."

If all of you from the 22 nations represented here tonight have picked up just a portion of that kind of enthusiasm and understanding, this program will have more than served its purpose for all our nations.



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88th Congress, H. R. 9747
August 31, 1964

An Act

78 STAT. 736.

To extend for three years the special milk programs for the Armed Forces and veterans hospitals.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That section 202 of the Agricultural Act of 1949, as amended (7 U.S.C. 1446a), is amended by striking in subsections (a) and (b) the words "December 31, 1964," and inserting in lieu thereof "December 31, 1967".

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